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U.S. Customs Service

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(T.D. 74-43)

Foreign currencies—Daily rates for countries not on quarterly list

Rates of exchange certified to the Secretary of the Treasury by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for the Hong Kong dollar, Iran rial, Philippine peso, Singapore dollar, Thailand baht (tical)

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS,
Washington, D.C., January 15, 1974.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York, pursuant to section 522(c), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (31 U.S.C. 372(c)), has certified buying rates in U.S. dollars for the dates and foreign currencies shown below. These rates of exchange are published for the information and use of Customs officers and others concerned pursuant to Part 159, Subpart C, Customs Regulations (19 CFR, Part 159, Subpart C).

Hong Kong dollar:	<i>Official</i>	<i>Free</i>
December 17, 1973-----	\$0. 1950	\$0. 197335*
December 18, 1973-----	. 1950	. 196656*
December 19, 1973-----	. 1960	. 196174*
December 20, 1973-----	. 1965	. 196753*
December 21, 1973-----	. 1970	. 197190*

Iran rial:

December 31, 1973-----	\$0. 0148
January 1, 1974-----	Holiday
January 2, 1974-----	. 0148
January 3, 1974-----	. 0148
January 4, 1974-----	. 0148

Phillippine peso:

December 31, 1973-----	\$0. 1490
January 1, 1974-----	Holiday
January 2, 1974-----	. 1490
January 3, 1974-----	. 1486
January 4, 1974-----	. 1486

*Certified as nominal

Singapore dollar:

December 31, 1973-----	\$0. 4020
January 1, 1974-----	Holiday
January 2, 1974-----	. 4010
January 3, 1974-----	. 4010
January 4, 1974-----	. 4000

Thailand baht (tical):

December 31, 1973-----	\$0. 0495
January 1, 1974-----	Holiday
January 2, 1974-----	. 0495
January 3, 1974-----	. 0490
January 4, 1974-----	. 0490

(LIQ-3-O:A:E)

R. N. MARRA,
*Director, Appraisement
 and Collection Division.*

(T.D. 74-44)

Customs stations—Customs Regulations amended

Changes in the Customs Field Organization, section 1.3(d), Customs Regulations,
 amended

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
 OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS,
 Washington, D.C.

TITLE 19—CUSTOMS DUTIES

CHAPTER I—UNITED STATES CUSTOMS SERVICE

PART 1—GENERAL PROVISIONS

On October 3, 1973, a proposal to revoke the designation of Washington, North Carolina, as a Customs station in the Wilmington, North Carolina, Customs district (Region IV), was published in the Federal Register (38 FR 27399). There were no comments received.

Accordingly, the designation of Washington, North Carolina, as a Customs station is hereby revoked. To reflect this revocation, the table in section 1.3(d) of the Customs Regulations is amended by deleting "Wilmington, N.C." from the column headed "District", "Washing-

ton, N.C." from the column headed "Customs stations", and "Wilmington," from the column headed "Port of entry having supervision".

(Sec. 1, 37 Stat. 434; 5 U.S.C. 301, 19 U.S.C. 1)

Effective date. This amendment shall be effective upon publication in the Federal Register.

(ADM-9-03)

VERNON D. ACREE,
Commissioner of Customs.

Approved January 16, 1974:

EDWARD L. MORGAN,
Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

[Published in the Federal Register January 29, 1974 (39 FR 3673)]

(T.D. 74-45)

Reimbursable services—Excess cost of preclearance operations

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS,
Washington, D.C., January 21, 1974.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to section 24.18(d), Customs Regulations (19 CFR 24.18(d)), the biweekly reimbursable excess costs for each preclearance installation are determined to be as set forth below and will be effective with the pay period beginning February 17, 1974.

<i>Installation</i>	<i>Biweekly excess cost</i>
Montreal, Canada	9,562.00
Toronto, Canada	12,047.00
Kindley Field, Bermuda	1,303.00
Nassau, Bahama Islands	4,635.00
Vancouver, Canada	945.00
Winnipeg, Canada	490.00

(FIS-9-05)

G. R. DICKERSON,
Acting Commissioner of Customs.

[Published in the Federal Register January 28, 1974 (39 FR 3575)]

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
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TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY
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(T.D. 74-46)

Foreign currencies—Certification of rates

Rates of exchange certified to the Secretary of the Treasury by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS,
Washington, D.C., January 21, 1974.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York, pursuant to section 522 (c), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (31 U.S.C. 372(c)), has certified the following rates of exchange which varied by 5 per centum or more from the quarterly rate published in Treasury Decision 74-40 for the following countries. Therefore, as to entries covering merchandise exported on the dates listed, whenever it is necessary for Customs purposes to convert such currency into currency of the United States, conversion shall be at the following daily rates:

Denmark krone:

January 7, 1974	\$0. 1473
January 8, 1974	. 1480
January 15, 1974	. 1475
January 16, 1974	. 1481
January 17, 1974	. 1474
January 18, 1974	. 1471

Ireland pound:

January 16, 1974	\$2. 1775
January 17, 1974	2. 1800
January 18, 1974	2. 1860

Italy lira:

January 17, 1974	\$0. 001538
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Japan yen:

January 7, 1974	\$0. 003330
January 8, 1974	. 003334
January 9, 1974	. 003334
January 10, 1974	. 003334
January 11, 1974	. 003333
January 14, 1974	. 003332
January 15, 1974	. 003332
January 16, 1974	. 003332
January 17, 1974	. 003332
January 18, 1974	. 003332

Portugal escudo:

January 8, 1974.....	\$0. 0365
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Sri Lanka (Ceylon) rupee:

January 14, 1974.....	\$0. 1425
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January 15, 1974.....	. 1425
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January 16, 1974.....	. 1425
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United Kingdom pound:

January 16, 1974.....	\$2. 1775
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January 17, 1974.....	2. 1880
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January 18, 1974.....	2. 1860
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JOHN D. ROBISON,
FOR R. N. MARRA,
*Director, Appraisal
and Collections Division.*

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(T.D. 74-47)

Foreign currencies—Daily rates for countries not on quarterly list

Rates of exchange certified to the Secretary of the Treasury by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for the Hong Kong dollar, Iran rial, Philippine peso, Singapore dollar, Thailand baht (tical)

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS,
Washington, D.C., January 21, 1974.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York, pursuant to section 522(c), Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (31 U.S.C. 372(c)), has certified buying rates in U.S. dollars for the dates and foreign currencies shown below. These rates of exchange are published for the information and use of Customs officers and others concerned pursuant to Part 159, Subpart C, Customs Regulations (19 CFR, Part 159, Subpart C).

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Hong Kong dollar:	<i>Official</i>	<i>Free</i>
December 24, 1973----	\$0. 1970	Unavailable
December 25, 1973----		Holiday
December 26, 1973----	. 1970	"
December 27, 1973----	. 1975	"
December 28, 1973----	. 1965	"
December 31, 1973----	. 1965	"
January 1, 1974-----		Holiday
January 2, 1974-----	\$0. 1960	
January 3, 1974-----	. 1965	
January 4, 1974-----	. 1965	
January 7, 1974-----	. 1960	
January 8, 1974-----	. 1950	
January 9, 1974-----	. 1950	
January 10, 1974-----	. 1960	
January 11, 1974-----	. 1960	

Iran rial:

For the period January 7 through January 11, 1974, rate of \$0.0148.

Philippine peso:

January 7, 1974-----	\$0. 1486
January 8, 1974-----	. 1485
January 9, 1974-----	. 1485
January 10, 1974-----	. 1485
January 11, 1974-----	. 1490

Singapore dollar:

January 7, 1974-----	\$0. 3930
January 8, 1974-----	. 3890
January 9, 1974-----	. 3890
January 10, 1974-----	. 4000
January 11, 1974-----	. 4000

Thailand baht (tical):

January 7, 1974-----	\$0. 0490
January 8, 1974-----	. 0495
January 9, 1974-----	. 0495
January 10, 1974-----	. 0495
January 11, 1974-----	. 0495

(LIQ-3-0:A:E)

JOHN D. ROBISON,
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Decisions of the United States Customs Court

United States Customs Court

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Abstracts Abstracted Protest Decisions

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, January 14, 1974.

The following abstracts of decisions of the United States Customs Court at New York are published for the information and guidance of officers of the customs and others concerned. Although the decisions are not of sufficient general interest to print in full, the summary herein given will be of assistance to customs officials in easily locating cases and tracing important facts.

VERNON D. AGREE,
Commissioner of Customs.

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	ASSESSED		HELD		BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
				Par. or Item No. and Rate	Par. or Item No. and Rate	Par. or Item No. and Rate	Par. or Item No. and Rate		
P74/21	Malitz, J. January 9, 1974	Creative Playthings Div. of CBS, Inc.	71/83	Item 737.90 24%	Item 737.54 14.8%			Judgment on the pleadings 1-2 Kangaroo, Inc. v. U.S. (C.D. 4290)	New York Rings, 8-004, and combina- tion set 8-405
P74/22	Boe, C.J. January 10, 1974	Norca Corporation	70/1077b, etc.	Item 657.20 15% and 13%	Item 653.95 13.5% and 11.5%			Judgment on the pleadings The Westhuss Company v. U.S. (C.D. 4248)	New York Stainless steel strainers
P74/23	Ford, J. January 10, 1974	AMD Electronics, Inc., et al.	70/2262b, etc.	Item 684.70 15%	Item 685.22 12.6%			Summary judgment General Electric Company v. U.S. (C.D. 3887, aff'd C.A.D. 1021)	New York Earphones

P74/24	Richardson, J. January 10, 1974	North American Foreign Trading Corp.	08/2043	Item 693.40 19%	Item 693.40 11.5%	Judgment on the pleadings	New York 6 transistor lamp-radios high-tensile
P74/25	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Associated American Winding Machinery, Inc.	70/47931	Item 674.33 15%	Item 670.00 12%	Judgment on the pleadings Broderick & Bescom Rope Co. v. U.S. (C.A.D. 1033)	New York High speed double twist bunching machines
P74/26	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Durst Industries, Inc.	70/16143	Item 657.35 1 1/2 per lb. plus 12%	Item 654.00 8%	Judgment on the pleadings	New York Brass ball-joint shower heads.
P74/27	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/22348	Item 637.60 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P74/28	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/23465	Item 687.60 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)

CUSTOMS COURT

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	ASSESSED	HELD		BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
					Par. or Item No. and Rate	Par. or Item No. and Rate		
P74/29	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/23267	Item 687.00 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoices, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoices, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P74/20	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/23739	Item 687.00 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoices, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoices, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)

P74/31	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Corporation	70/33703	Item 687.60 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P74/32	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Corporation	70/37381	Item 687.60 12.5% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P74/33	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Corporation	70/43374	Item 687.60 11% without allowance under item 807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item 807.00 with its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)

CUSTOMS COURT

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	ASSESSED	HELD		BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
				Par. or Item No. and Rate	Par. or Item No. and Rate			
P7434	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/56816	Item 687.00 11% without allowance under item \$807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item \$807.00 With its cost or value, as shown on commercial invoices, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors		Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P7435	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Cor- poration	70/56832	Item 687.60 12.5% without allowance under item \$807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item \$807.00 With its cost or value, as shown on com- mercial in- voice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors		Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)
P7436	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	General Instrument Corporation	70/56832	Item 687.60 12.5% without allowance under item \$807.00 for cost or value of product of U.S., gold wire	Gold wire: Item \$807.00 With its cost or value, as shown on com-		Judgment on the pleadings	New York American goods returned (gold wire incorporated into transistors)

P74/37	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Matz Trading Co	67/84286	Item 680.20 18% plus 1.27% per lb.	Item 684.00 10% (as to shower heads on entry 700197) Protest overruled as to entry 949001	merical in- voice, being deducted from the appraised value of the imported transistors	Judgment on the pleadings The Westhass Company v. U.S. (C.D. 430) (mer- chandise covered by entry 700197)	New York Shower heads
P74/38	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	The May Dept. Stores Co.	70/65295	Item 772.06 11.8% plus 14.7% per lb.	Item 772.15 11.8%		Judgment on the pleadings	New York "Piasio 4 pos. Snack Set with Cover"
P74/39	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	U.S. Suzuki Motor Corp.	67/76233	Item 684.90 17.8%	Item 683.60 8.5%		Judgment on the pleadings	Los Angeles Contact breakers or breaker assemblies
P74/40	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Warwick Electronics, Inc.	68/48704, etc.	Item 716.65 94%	Item 725.45 17% (except 60 "Jumbo" guitars)		Judgment on the pleadings	Chicago Electronics guitars
P74/41	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Z & T Importing Co., Inc.	70/53323	Item 684.70 15%	Item 685.22 12.5%		Judgment on the pleadings	Los Angeles Earphones
P74/42	Newman, J. January 10, 1974	Bert Friedberg & Co. et al.	64/18942, etc.	Par. 1831 26%	Par. 333 12.5%		Lafayette Radio Electronics Corp. v. U.S. (C.A.D. 977)	San Francisco Cases for radios (entireties)

Decisions of the United States Customs Court

Abstracts *Abstracted Reappraisal Decisions*

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	BASIS OF VALUATION	UNIT OF VALUE	BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
E74/3	Re, J. January 8, 1974	The Akron et al.	R38/16176, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Los Angeles Japanese plywood
E74/4	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Atkins, Kroll & Co. et al.	R38/6243, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Francisco Japanese plywood
E74/5	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Atkins, Kroll & Co. et al.	R38/17226, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Baltimore Japanese plywood
E74/6	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Balfour, Guthrie & Co., Ltd, et al.	R64/7260, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Detroit Japanese plywood
E74/7	Re, J. January 8, 1974	M. S. Cowen Co. et al.	288706-A, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Francisco Japanese plywood

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R74/8	Re, J. January 8, 1974	M. S. Coven et al.	R60/2206, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Los Angeles Japanese plywood
R74/9	Re, J. January 8, 1974	The East Asiatic Co., Inc.	287148-A, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/10	Re, J. January 8, 1974	The East Asiatic Co., Inc., et al.	R58/21434, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/11	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Hunter Trading Corp.	R64/9531	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Philadelphia Japanese plywood
R74/12	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Industries Unlimited	R61/1888, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Houston Japanese plywood
R74/13	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Kochton Plywood & Veneer Co., Inc., et al.	R61/22316, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Longview (Portland, Oreg.) Japanese plywood
R74/14	Re, J. January 8, 1974	National Carloading Corp.	R58/16954, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Los Angeles Japanese plywood
R74/15	Re, J. January 8, 1974	National Carloading Corp. et al.	R60/7084, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Los Angeles Japanese plywood
R74/16	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Robert S. Osgood	R59/18050, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Philadelphia Japanese plywood

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	BASIS OF VALUATION	UNIT OF VALUE	BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
R74/17	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Pan Pacific Overseas Corp.	R59/8231, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Tampa Japanese plywood
R74/18	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Pan Pacific Overseas Corp.	R59/13712	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Tampa Japanese plywood
R74/19	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Pan Pacific Overseas Corp.	R60/12261, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Galveston Japanese plywood
R74/20	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Pan Pacific Overseas Corp.	R61/7966, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Portland (Oreg.) Japanese plywood
R74/21	Re, J. January 8, 1974	E. J. Stanton & Son, Inc., et al.	R60/4523, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Diego Japanese plywood
R74/22	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Toyomenka, Inc.	R60/1852, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Los Angeles Japanese plywood
R74/23	Re, J. January 8, 1974	Wood Monie Industries, Inc.	R58/11891, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Tacoma (Seattle) Japanese plywood
R74/24	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Mitsubishi International Corp.	R61/24235, etc.	American selling price	As shown in schedule "B", attached in decision and judgment,	Agreed statement of facts	Houston Footwear

				for respective pattern numbers and sizes listed therein, per pair, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	
R74/25	Maletz, J. January 10, 1974	Nichimen Co., Inc.	R70/9991, etc.	Export value: Ap- praised unit value less the "buying com- mission" paid to Nichimen Co., Ltd., of Japan	Not stated	New York China-ware
R74/26	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Bentley Markey Co.	R60/20670, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/27	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Borneo Sumatra Trading Co., Inc., et al.	R98/23365, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	Norfolk Japanese plywood
R74/28	Re, J. January 10, 1974	M. S. Cowen Co. et al.	R98/27267, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/29	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Getz Bros. & Co.	R99/23416, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/30	Re, J. January 10, 1974	W. R. Grace & Co. et al.	R99/645, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/31	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Industries Unlimited	R61/384, etc.	Export value: Net ap- praised value less 7¼%, net packed	Not stated	Norfolk Japanese plywood

DECISION NUMBER	JUDGE & DATE OF DECISION	PLAINTIFF	COURT NO.	BASIS OF VALUATION	UNIT OF VALUE	BASIS	PORT OF ENTRY AND MERCHANDISE
R74/22	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Jacobson Overseas, Inc.	R59/5953, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½% net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Portland, Oreg. Japanese plywood
R74/23	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Mattoon & Co., Inc., et al.	R62/5966, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Francisco Japanese plywood
R74/24	Re, J. January 10, 1974	United States Ply- wood Corp.	R59/14985, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	New York Japanese plywood
R74/25	Re, J. January 10, 1974	United States Ply- wood Corp.	R59/16003, etc.	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	San Diego Japanese plywood
R74/26	Re, J. January 10, 1974	Wood Mosaic Indus- tries, Inc.	R63/7408	Export value: Net appraised value less 7½%, net packed	Not stated	U.S. v. Getz Bros. & Co. et al. (C.A.D. 927)	Norfolk-Newport News Japanese plywood
R74/27	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/6600	Constructed value	Radios: \$1.53, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/28	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/3226	Constructed value	Radios: \$0.198, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.021, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries

R74/39	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12383	Constructed value	Radios: \$4.796, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.021, each, net packed	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/40	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12389	Constructed value	Radios: \$4.78, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, each, net packed	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/41	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12393	Constructed value	Radios: \$4.796, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.021, each, net packed	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/42	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12394	Constructed value	Radios: \$4.796, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.021, each, net packed	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios with batteries and earphones
R74/43	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12395	Constructed value	Radios: \$4.796, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.021, each, net packed	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/44	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12396	Constructed value	Invoice unit values: \$3.30, Model RS-48C, each; \$2.95, Model RS-61, each	Judgment on the pleadings	Miami Transistor radios

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R74/45	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/12401	Constructed value	Radios: \$1.53, Model AK-96, each, net packed; \$1.58, Model AK-210, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries
R74/46	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/14161	Constructed value	Invoice unit value: \$5.55 each radio	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios
R74/47	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/14162	Constructed value	Invoice unit value: \$3.30 each, Model RS-48C; \$2.95 each, Model RS- 61	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios
R74/48	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/17570	Constructed value	Radios: \$5.23, Model TFM-122, each, net packed; \$4.41, Model T-210, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios, with earphones and batteries

E74/49	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R 8/1571	Constructed value	Radios: \$5.44, Model TFM-122, each, net packed; \$6.31, Model T-1400, each, net packed; \$6.58, Model TK-114, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, Models TFM-122 and T-1400, each, net packed; \$0.021, Model TK-114, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios, with earphones and batteries
E74/50	Watson, J. January 11, 1974	Topp Import & Export, Inc.	R68/15709	Constructed value	Radios: \$2.03, each, net packed Earphones: \$0.12, each, net packed Batteries: \$0.10, each, net packed	Judgment on the plead- ings	Miami Transistor radios with earphones and batteries

Decision on Motion for Rehearing
January 11, 1974

Sol Kahaner & Bro. v. United States, Consolidated Court No. 66/25961.—FABRICS OF SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION.—C.D. 4480. Motion of plaintiff for rehearing denied.

Appeal to United States Court of
Customs and Patent Appeals

APPEAL 74-22.—Knowles Electronics and J. E. Bernard & Co., Inc. v. United States.—MICROPHONES AND COILS FOR HEARING AIDS—MICROPHONES—INDUCTORS—PARTS FOR HEARING AIDS—TSUS. Appeal from C.D. 4483.

In this case microphones and receivers were assessed at 15 percent ad valorem under the provision in item 684.70, Tariff Schedules of the United States, for microphones, loudspeakers, headphones, and parts thereof; coils were assessed at 12 percent under item 682.60 as electrical goods (inductors). Plaintiffs-appellants claimed that the microphones, receivers and coils were properly dutiable at 12 percent and 9.5 percent, depending upon the date of entry, under item 709.50 as parts of hearing aids or alternatively at 11.5 percent and 9 percent, depending upon the date of entry, under item 688.40 as electrical articles or electrical parts of articles. Defendant conceded that the receivers were properly dutiable as parts of hearing aids, and plaintiffs claim under item 709.50 was sustained as to the receivers. The court held that the microphones and coils were properly dutiable as assessed under item 684.70, *supra*, and item 682.60, *supra*, respectively.

It is claimed that the Customs Court erred in finding and holding the so-called microphones are dutiable under item 684.70 as microphones; in finding and holding that the coils are properly dutiable as "inductors" under item 682.60; in failing to hold and decide that the microphones and coils in dispute are properly dutiable as parts of hearing aids within the meaning and intent of item 709.50; in failing to hold and decide that General Interpretative Rule 10(ij) is inapplicable because there is no provision for the "microphones" and the coils in dispute, except in said item 709.50 as parts of hearing aids; and in holding and deciding that the coils are classifiable as "inductors", despite the fact that the coils are not designed nor used for introducing inductance into an electric circuit.

Tariff Commission Notices

Investigations by the United States Tariff Commission

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, *January 24, 1974.*

The appended notices relating to investigations by the United States Tariff Commission are published for the information of Customs officers and others concerned.

VERNON D. ACREE,
Commissioner of Customs.

[TEA-W-221]

WORKERS PETITION FOR A DETERMINATION UNDER SECTION 301(c) (2) OF THE TRADE
EXPANSION ACT OF 1962

Notice of investigation

On the basis of a petition filed under section 301(a) (2) of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, on behalf of the former workers of the East Corinth, Maine, plant of Milford Shoe, Inc., Milford, Mass., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Morse Shoe, Inc., Canton, Mass., the United States Tariff Commission, on January 9, 1974, instituted an investigation under section 301(c) (2) of the Act to determine whether, as a result in major part of concessions granted under trade agreements, articles like or directly competitive with footwear for men and women (of the types provided for in items 700.35, 700.43, 700.45, and 700.55 of the Tariff Schedules of the United States) produced by said firm are being imported into the United States in such increased quantities as to cause, or threatens to cause, the unemployment or underemployment of a significant number or proportion of the workers of such firm or an appropriate subdivision thereof.

The optional public hearing afforded by law has not been requested by the petitioners. Any other party showing a proper interest in the subject matter of the investigation may request a hearing, provided such request is filed within 10 days after the notice is published in the *Federal Register*.

The petition filed in this case is available for inspection at the Office of the Secretary, United States Tariff Commission, 8th and E Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C., and at the New York City office of the Tariff Commission located in Room 437 of the Customhouse.

By order of the Commission.

KENNETH R. MASON,
Secretary.

Issued January 14, 1974.

[AA1921-138]

HAND-OPERATED, PLASTIC PISTOL-GRIP TYPE LIQUID SPRAYERS FROM JAPAN

Notice of investigation and hearing

Having received advice from the Treasury Department on January 14, 1974, that hand-operated, plastic pistol-grip type liquid sprayers from Jaapn are being, or are likely to be, sold at less than fair value, the United States Tariff Commission on January 16, 1974, instituted investigation No. AA1921-138 under section 201(a) of the Antidumping Act, 1921, as amended (19 U.S.C. 160(a)), to determine whether an industry in the United States is being or is likely to be injured, or is prevented from being established, by reason of the importation of such merchandise into the United States.

Hearing. A public hearing in connection with the investigation will be held in the Tariff Commission's Hearing Room, Tariff Commission Building, 8th and E Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20436, beginning at 10:00 a.m., E.D.S.T., on Tuesday, February 26, 1974. All parties will be given an opportunity to be present, to produce evidence, and to be heard at such hearing. Requests to appear at the public hearing should be received by the Secretary of the Tariff Commission, in writing, at its office in Washington, D.C., not later than noon, Thursday, February 21, 1974.

By order of the Commission:

KENNETH R. MASON,
Secretary.

Issued January 17, 1974.

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CERTAIN COTTON, COTTON WASTE, AND COTTON PRODUCTS

Notice of hearing rescheduling

The United States Tariff Commission has rescheduled from January 21, 1974, to February 7, 1974, the hearing in connection with the investigation instituted on November 5, 1973, under subsection (d) of section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended (7 U.S.C. 624), to determine whether the annual import quotas for the articles described in items 955.01 through 955.06 may be suspended without rendering or tending to render ineffective, or materially interfering with, the programs for cotton now conducted by the Department of Agriculture, or reducing substantially the amount of products processed in the United States from domestic cotton.

The hearing will be held Thursday, February 7, 1974, at 10 a.m., E.D.T., in the Hearing Room, Tariff Commission Building, 8th and E Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. Requests for appearances at the hearing should be received by the Secretary of the Tariff Commission, in writing, at his office in Washington, D.C., not later than noon, Friday, February 1, 1974.

By order of the Commission:

KENNETH R. MASON,
Secretary.

Issued January 17, 1974.

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